APPENDIX VI.

[Vide answer to starred question No. 758 asked by Sri T. Anantha Pai at the meeting of the Legislative Assembly held on 13th May 1954, page 715 supra.]

Report on action taken against newspapers under the Press (Objectionable Matter) Act, 1951, during the year 1953.

Name of publication.	*Nature of objectionable matter.*	*Name of the press and its address.*	*Name of keeper of press.*	*Name of publisher.*	*Nature of action taken.*	*Result of the action.*
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1 Suran (Tamil weekly).	Obscene.	Arathi Press, No. 15, Mooku Chetty Street, Kosapet, Madras.	M. Narayana Rao.	M. Muthu Mohan.	Action under sections 4 and 7 of the Act against the keeper and publisher.	The Chief Presidency Magistrate let off Narayana Rao, the keeper of the press with a warning as contemplated in proviso to section 4 of the Act in C. C. No. 4768 of 1953, dated 3rd July 1953. The Magistrate called upon the publisher Muthu Mohan to deposit a security of Rs. 2,000 in C.C. No. 4304 of 1953, dated 23rd July 1953. As he failed to furnish the security, the publisher's declaration was annulled.
2 Suravali (Tamil weekly).	Do.	Kannagi Nilayam Press, No. 130, Nethaji Subhas Chandra Bose Road, Madras-1.	D. Ethirajan ..	S. Vedamurthy ..	Action against the keeper of the press under section 4 of the Act ordered.	The Chief Presidency Magistrate, Madras, admonished the accused under proviso to section 4 of the Act and let him off after administering a warning in M. P. No. 14 of 1954, dated 21st January 1954.
3 Kalai Nesan (Tamil news-sheet).	Do.	Samala Press, 132, Broadway, Madras.	T. S. Munuswami Naidu.	Venugopal ..	Action under section 4 of the Act against the keeper of the press.	The Chief Presidency Magistrate, Madras, passed orders demanding the keeper of the press to furnish security of Rs. 100 in M.P. No. 31 of 1954, dated 4th February 1954.

*Particulars of books which were declared forfeit by **Madras** Government under section 11 of the Press (Objectionable Matter) Act, 1951, during the year 1953.*

Name of publication.	Nature of objectionable matter.	Name of the press.	Name of the publisher.	Remarks.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1 Kama Leelai (Tamil book) ..	Obscene.	Sri Andal Press, Madras ..	Desia Pannai, Madras ..	
2 Vasundaravin Kathalan (Tamil book).	Do.	Prabhat Printers, Madras. ..	Do. ..	
3 Yennai Kavarntha Pengal (Tamil book).	Do.	Sri Andal Press, Madras ..	Do. ..	Four copies of Arpuda Leelai and one copy of Vasundaravin Kathalan were seized.
4 Nadigai Anjali Devi (Tamil book).	Do.	Do. ..	Do. ..	
5 Arpuda Leelai (Tamil book) ..	Do.	Do. ..	Do. ..	
6 Kamam Palavidam (Tamil book).	Do.	Arut Perunjothi Press, Madras.	Leo Publication, Mylapore, Madras.	1,123 copies were seized.
7 Inba Rasam (Tamil book) ..	Do.	Sankar Printers, Madras ..	Kathalar Prachuram	220 copies were seized.
8 Aan Penn Kalavi Inbam (Tamil book).	Do.	Pankajavalli Press, Madras ..	Kalaikadal Veliyeedu	1,085 copies were seized.
9 Nirvana Leelai (Tamil book) ..	Do.	Lakshmikantham Press, Madras.	B. K. Ramachandran (Inbakala Nilayam).	500 copies were seized.
10 Kama Leelai (Tamil book) ..	Do.	Maruthi Press, Royapetta ..	Do.	60 copies were seized.
11 Amerikavil Vibasarakkalai (Tamil book).	Do.	Ananda Parvathi Press, Madras	L. Selvaraj	160 copies were seized.

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